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SUBJECT: AFYON ALKALOID PLANT

1. THE ECONOMIC PRESS AGENCY (EPA) BULLETIN REPORTED FEBRUARY 24 THAT EIGHT FIRMS (INCLUDING ABBOTT LABORATORIES) PARTICIPATED IN THE BIDDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF AN ALKALOID PROCESSING PLANT IN AFYON. PERTINENT SECTION OF THE EPA REPORT FOLLOWS:

BEGIN QUOTE

SEALED BIDS WERE OPENED ON FEBRUARY 20, TMO SOURCES SAID. FOLLOWING IS THE DETAILED BREAKDOWN OF THE BIDS:

1. AKSO ENGINEERING (HOLLAND) HAS ASKED A THREE-MONTH OPTION TO SUBMIT A BID,
2. KNOLL AG (GERMANY) HAS SUBMITTED A BID PRICE AS WELL AS A BID BOND. TRANSLATION WOULD BE PRESENTED LATER,
3. POLIMEX (POLAND) HAS SUBMITTED A COMPLETE OFFER,
4. TET LTD. (TURKEY) HAS OFFERED TO MANUFACTURE 90 PERCENT OF ALL MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT REQUESTED. BUT FAILED TO SUBMIT A BID PRICE BECAUSE OF SHORT NOTICE. NO BID BOND WAS SUBMITTED

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ALSO,

5. ALKALOID SKOPYE (YUGOSLAVIA), ACTING AS SUB-
CONTRACTOR TO GERMAN EXTRACTION TECHNIC A.G., MADE A
COMPLETE OFFER,
6. ABBOTT (USA) NO BID BOND WAS SUBMITTED. PARTICIPATED
IN THE BIDDING FROM AUSTRALIA,
7. ORHAN KARTAL (TURKEY) HAS OFFERED TO HANDLE MOST OF
THE WORK. FAILED TO QUOTE A PRICE AND ASKED FOR MORE TIME,
8. EXTRACTION DE SMETH S.A. (BELGIUM) HAS SUBMITTED
A COMPLETE OFFER. TRANSLATION OF BID BOND WOULD BE PRESENTED LATER.

END QUOTE

2. COMMENT: WE UNDERSTAND, HOWEVER, THE GOT HAS FURTHER
EXTENDED THE EADLINE AND IS EXPECTING ADDITIONAL BIDS. THE
ORIGINAL DEADLINE WAS FEBRUARY 15.
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